



Response Under 37 CFR 1.116
Expedited Procedure
Examining Group 2838

Attorney Docket No. LT-5 RE FWC

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant : Carl T. Nelson
Application No. : 08/794,374 Confirmation No. : 6586
Filed : December 10, 1996
For : SWITCHING VOLTAGE REGULATOR CIRCUIT
Group Art Unit : 2838
Examiner : Shawn Riley

Palo Alto, California 94301
September 16, 2004

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 16, 2004 (hereinafter "the 04.16.04 Office Action"), applicant submits the following response.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(1), applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time for response to the 04.16.04 Office Action. With this extension, the due date for reply to this Office Action is September 16, 2004.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this Reply.

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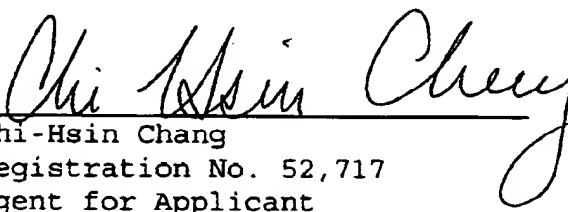
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extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1480.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a); ☐ \$2010.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

[X] A check in the amount of ☐ \$110.00; [X] \$420.00; ☐ \$950.00; ☐ \$1480.00; ☐ \$2010.00; in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.

[X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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